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For: ELECTRIC PARKING BRAKE	)	
MECHANISM	)	

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action dated August 6, 2004, the period for response to which extends through November 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: